# Foster Commerce with Iceland: Preparation of 2018 Commercial Reports



Project Title	Foster Commerce with Iceland: Preparation of 2018 Commercial Reports
Project Summary	Contribute to the annual reports that drive trade, investment and commerce between the United States and Iceland
Country	Iceland
Agency	Department of State
DoS Office	N/A
Post	REYKJAVIK
Section	ECON
Number of Interns	1

#### **Project Description**

Assist Commercial Specialist and Economic Chief in preparing the Iceland Investment Climate Statement (https://2009-2017.state.gov/e/eb/rls/othr/ics/2016/eur/254373.htm) and Country Commercial Guide (https://www.export.gov/article?id=Iceland-Market-Overview) for 2018. Intern may assist with other sector specific reports as needed, including health or high-tech. These reports provide U.S. businesses with needed information to enter the Icelandic market, and highlight opportunities for trade promotion and sectorial development.

Understanding of business terminology, economic conditions, and business practices in general. Clean, clear drafting skills. Ability to distill business technical terms to laymen English. Diligent, independent research. Accuracy. Open communication, including comfort asking questions if something is not understood.

### **Desired Skills Interests**

#### **Additional Information**

Guidance and templates are usually released in January, ICS is due in April, CCG in June. This project is

heavily focused on the spring term, but there are additional sectorial reports to compile also in the fall. We are increasing the amount of information available to spur investment in and from and commerce with Iceland.

## **Language Requirements**

None